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Title: METHOD OF IDENTIFYING AN OBJECT AND A TAG CARRYING
IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby make of record the documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08a.

The references were cited in an European (EP) Search Report dated December 18, 2008, for the EP application corresponding to the above-identified U.S. patent application. A copy of the Search Report, including an indication of the purported relevance of the cited references, is enclosed.

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.97(e), the undersigned hereby certifies that: each item of information contained herein was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.97(d)(2) and as set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(p), the required fee for the delayed filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is submitted herewith.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider completely the cited information, along with any other information, in reaching a determination concerning the patentability of the present claims. In addition, Applicants would appreciate the Examiner's initialing and returning the form to evidence that the cited information has been fully considered by the Patent and Trademark Office during the examination of this application.

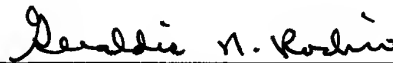
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The references submitted herein have been reviewed by the Applicants and were not found to have any bearing on patentability of the above-referenced application. Notwithstanding any statements by the Applicants, the Examiner is urged to form his/her own conclusion regarding the relevance of the cited information. An early and favorable action is hereby requested.

Other than the fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(p), Applicants believe no additional fees are due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be due or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-0580, Reference No. 79030-001.

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